An Informative Half-day Workshop:

Confined Space Entry

Who Should Attend . . .

This program is a must for anyone concerned about health and safety on the job including:

- Managers concerned about liability and workers' compensation costs.
- ▶ Employees who want to learn proper techniques for protecting their safety and health at work.
- ▶ Business owners who want to learn about compliance with Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Administration (MIOSHA).

Why You Need This Workshop . . .

- To reduce disabling injuries and illnesses to employees and to ensure that every worker goes home safe and healthy every day.
- ▶ To reduce the high costs of work-related injuries. Nationally, employers spent an estimated 50.8 billion on wage payments and medical care for workers hurt on the job. (Liberty Mutual Safety Index 2005) This is only a portion of the total costs of work-related injuries. Indirect costs such as overtime, training and lost productivity can also burden employers.
- ➤ To enhance your company's bottom line. A strong safety and health commitment not only protects workers, it also reduces workers compensation costs, improves employee morale, and increases production and quality.

What You'll Learn . . .

MIOSHA's General Industry Standard Permit-Required Confined Space Entry, Part 90 requires the employer to assess the work environment to determine the existence of confined spaces. A confined space is one, which meets the following: has limited means of entry or exit, is not designed for continuous occupancy, and is large enough to bodily enter. This program is designed to enable participants to identify confined spaces, determine appropriate entry procedures and develop employee-training programs.

Agenda

We offer a flexible program agenda to emphasize the safety and health topics <u>you</u> want most.

Review of MIOSHA General Industry Safety Standard Part 90 - Confined Space Entry:

- ▶ General Requirements
- Alternate Entry Procedures
- Confined Space Entry
- Permit-required Confined Space Entry Program
- Rescue and Emergency Procedures

All meetings are accessible and barrier free. Please contact the cosponsor or CET Division, at least two weeks in advance, to request necessary accommodations.

Facilitator

Barry W. Simmonds brings more than 20 years of safety related experience to the CET division. Barry started as an Air Force Fire Protection Specialist gaining experience in almost every position in the fire department. Barry then transferred to the Air Force safety program as the Non-Commissioned officer in charge of the 410th Bomb Wing ground safety office at K.I. Sawyer AFB. (He also served a tour as the Chief of Safety for U.S. Forces in the country of Honduras.) In all of these positions, Barry had extensive safety training responsibilities.

After leaving the Air Force, Barry joined the Department of Corrections as a State Certified Fire Inspector and came to MIOSHA in 1997 as a general industry enforcement officer for the Port Huron area before joining the CET team in 2004. Barry has degrees in both safety and fire science technology and is responsible for the Upper Peninsula region.

Presenters: Barry Simmonds, Occupational Safety Consultant, and Cindy Zastrow, Industrial Hygienist; MIOSHA, CET Division



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Program Details

Houghton, Michigan 49931

Includes course materials.

DATE: January 10, 2008 TIME: Check-in - 12:30 p.m.

LOCATION: UPPCO Headquarters Building Program - 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

600 East Lakeshore Drive DEADLINE: Register by January 3, 2008

Please register early!

COST: \$40 per person. CONTACT: Philip Musser - 906.482.6817

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